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PETITION FOR SUPPLEMENTAL DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

The undersigned attorney of record in the patent application identified above petitions to replace the current Declaration and Power of Attorney filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office with the attached Supplemental Declaration and Power of Attorney.

The named inventor, whose name is spelled incorrectly on the original Declaration and Power of Attorney, is **Jeffery L. Cofer**. Applicants respectfully request that this petition be granted and that an updated filing receipt be issued.

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